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## BOX PATENT APPLICATION

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a **new utility** patent application of: Ming-Hsiang YEH

Title of Invention: INFRARED AUDIO PLAYER

Enclosed are:

A specification and 2 claims.

Three (3) sheets of formal drawings (Figs. 1-3).

A Combined Declaration and Appointment of Attorney

Applicant qualifies as a small entity

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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|                  |                | RATE FEE      | RATE FEE      |
| BASIC FEE        |                | \$385.00      | \$770.00      |
| TOTAL CLAIMS 2 - | 20 = 0         | \$ 9          | \$18          |
| INDEP CLAIMS 1 - | · 3 = <u>0</u> | \$ 43         | \$86          |
| MULTIPLE DEPEN   | IDENT CLAIMS   | \$145.        | \$290.        |
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